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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Robert Laun	Examiner:	Rodney Frank
Serial No.:	10/622,838	Group Art Unit:	2856
Filed:	July 18, 2003	Docket No:	235.032US1
Title	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DETERMINING AN EXPECTANCY RANGE FOR A FILLING LEVEL ECHO AND A FALSE ECHO		

**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed September 26, 2005, said period of response being extended from December 26, 2005 to March 27, 2006 (Monday).

**Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$1020.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.**

Respectfully Submitted

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